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SUBJ: PATENTS INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION KUWAIT

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TWENTY-EIGHT U.S. FIRMS PARTICIPATED IN EXPO '76 KUWAIT ORGANIZED BY PATENTS INTERNATIONAL AFFILIATES (PIA) AT KUWAIT HILTON. FEW OF PARTICIPANTS WERE LARGE U.S. CORPORATIONS, AND U.S. FIRMS AMOUNTED TO ONLY VYUARTER OF TOTAL OF 108 FIRMS PARTICIPATING, A SORE POINT WITH AT LEAST ONE U.S. PARTICIPANT, WHO COMPLAINED THAT EXPO '76 HAD BEEN TOUTED BY PIA AS STRICKLY U.S. AFFAIR. OTHER PARTICIPANTS EVENLY DISTRIBUTED BETWEEN UK, FRANCE, ITALY, GERMANY AND AXINLAND, FOLLOWED BY GREECE, TURKEY AND CANADA. SOME U.S. BUSINESSMEN COMPLAINED THAT ORGANIZATION OF EXPOSITION WAS POOR AND THAT U.S. FIRMS GOT WORST CORNER OF EXHIBIT AREA. THEIR THEME WAS THAT PIA LED THEM TO EXPECT MORE THAN WAS DELIVERED. HOWEVER, MOST U.S. PARTICIPANTS WE TALKED TO ADMITTED THAT TURN-OUT WAS GOOD.  
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